FIRE CHIEF/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR RIVERDALE, GEORGIA

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The City of Riverdale is seeking an experienced Fire Chief to provide professional, administrative, and supervisory work for directing the activities and personnel of the City's Fire Department. Work involves planning and managing the operations of the department involved in fire prevention, fire suppression, emergency management, and emergency medical service. Work requires broad professional and comprehensive knowledge of fire administration, fire fighting techniques, fire prevention, communications, rescue, emergency medical services, and hazardous materials. This position must be able to begin the National Accreditation process for the fire department. This position is under the general supervision of the Director of Public Safety.

Minimum Qualifications:

Must have a Bachelor's degree in Business, Public Administration or related field from an accredited college or university. Master's degree preferred. State of Georgia Firefighter certification; National Registry Emergency Medical Technician certification (EMT 1 or higher); State of Georgia Paramedic certification preferred. Ten (10) to fifteen (15) years of progressively responsible experience as a firefighter; three (3) to five (5) years as a Battalion Chief, Assistant/Deputy Chief or Fire Chief desired plus seven (7) years of supervisory experience. Must have the ability to meet and maintain the NFPA and OSHA medical and physical fitness requirements. Possession of a valid State of Georgia driver's license (Class B) or be able to obtain one in 30 days of employment; satisfactory motor vehicle driving record (MVR); equivalent combination of education and experience is required. Salary will be commensurate with experience.

The City of Riverdale offers a great benefit package that includes Medical/dental/life & AD&D; voluntary short-term and long-term disability; 401K and 457 Plan; and Vision, vacation, holiday and sick leave.

How to Apply: Send your resume/application to City of Riverdale Human Resources Department at 971 Wilson Road, Riverdale, GA., 30296. You can also obtain an application through our website at www.riverdalega.gov and download the application and send it as an email attachment.